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ACIDE TARTARIQUE. Hongkong, May 9, 1868.







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HONGKONG, MONDAY, 11TH MAY, 1868.

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OFFICIAL NOTIFICATIONS.

It is hereby notified that, until further orders, the China Muil and Overland China Mail will be the official mediums of all Notifications proceeding from Her Britannic Majesty's Consulate at Canton. British Consulate, Canton, April 16, 1866 D. B. ROBERTSON, Consul.

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British Consulate, Amoy, April 22, 1866. R. SWINHOE, Consul.

Arrivals.

May 9, For Frisch, Confederate German schooner, 207, Tutein, Tientsin, April 27, General. BOURJAU HUBENER & Co. May 10, Bouncer, H.B.M. gunboat, 230, Harding, from a cruize. May 11, Cary and Jane, for Callao.

Departures.

11. John Worster, for Singapore.

- 11, Johanna, for Whampoa. 11, Jumes Wishart, for Saigon. 11. Alexandra, for Amoy.
- 1, Osborne, for Swatow. 11, Red Riding Hood, for Saigon. 11, Belted Will, for Whampoa.

For further Arrivals, New Adver tisements, &c., &c., see 2nd page.

New Advertisements.

PICTURES & JAPANESE WARE. | duplicate. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., will sell by Public Auction, in their Store Premis s (entrance either from the Queen's Road or from the Praya) on

TUESDAY, 12th instant, at 2 o'clock P.M.

A numerous collection of valuable OIL PAINTINGS, (including skilful copies from Landseer, Vandyke, Raphael. and other great artists) Water-color Paintings, Drawings in Chalks, and Engravings of various subjects, all very handsomely framed

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One 4-oared RACING do. (The whole of the above may be view-

ed on the day of the sale.) TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots with all faults and errors of description at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, May 11, 1868.

WANTED. HREE COMPOSITORS.

DE SOUZA & Co. Hongkong, May 11, 1868.

SCHMIDT & VOLKMANN ESTATE. SECOND and final Dividend of 24 per A cent. having become available, Creditors of the above Estate, whose claims have been acknowledged by the Trustees are requested to apply for payment of the said Dividend on their respective Claims at the Office of Messis WM. Pustau & Co., where also a final statement of accounts will be open for inspection until the 30th of June, A. C.

AD. JOOST. O. C. BEHN. for the Trustees. auHougkong, May 11, 1868.

FOR SALE.

Ex Late Arrivals. Per WEMYSS CASTLE and BLACK

ASS & Co.'s Pale ALE in quarts. Aromatic BITTERS, superior quality. Raynal & Co.'s BRANDY, Marteli's

A few cases of really superior Dinner SHERRY CHAMPAGNE, Ay Mousseux, B. E.

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Gruyere OREESE, MACCARONI and VERMICELLI, FRUITS in Jars. G. DUBOST & Co.

New Advertisements.

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UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.

ZEALAND:—GORDON & GOTCH, Mel- THE Office of the above Society is RE-bourne and Sudney.

MOVED to the Premises situated at Pedder's Wharf, lately occupied by Messrs Augustine Heard & Co. ROBERT WATMORE.

JOHN THOMPSON & Co.

SODA WATER MANUFACTURERS.

Ships' Medicine Chests supplied and refitted.

23. Wellington Street. Hongkong, May 9, 1868.

AQUATIC SPORTS.

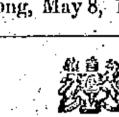
HOWARD HODGES, Hon. Sec. H. S. B.

_ EALED TENDERS (in Duplicate) India in Council, Calcutta, both at 30 days' Mexican Dollars counted.

Bills on London will not be drawn for sums under £1,000, and on Calcutta under Rupees 10,000. The accepted Tenders will be at once no-

questing them to lodge the amount to the Oriental Bank Corporation, where a receipt will be given, on production of which at this office the Bills will be issued. In order to save time, it is requested that the sets of Bills required may be detailed in the margin of the Tender, and it is particularly requested that the Tenders may be in

REDMOND UNIACKE, - Dep. Commis. Gen. Controller's Office, Commissariat,



9 Women and 12 Children.

· Tenders are to be made at rates per head include Conveyance, freight of Baggage and possesses a pair of lifting shears, according to Government Scale (Appendix 22 of the Transport Regulations), the supply of Articles for the Mess place, Cabins use of Staff Sergeants and Troops, and pleted in a very short time. drinking Tanks for use on the Mess Deck (Appendix 16), and of cooking Utensils, is always in readiness to tow Vessels to 12my Fuel, Light and Necessaries for their use Dock, free of charge, and to sea, or new (Appendix 17), as well as of all such Stores (especially those referred to in Article 97) and other requisites as are required by the Transport Regulations to be provided by the owners. Messing for Officers or other 1st class or 2nd class Passengers, is to be supplied by the owners, and will be paid for (in addition to the above charges per head) at the rates specified in Appendix 25 of the Regulations, which rates are to include the supply of Bedding (exclusive of Bed Linen and Towels), Medical Comforts, Articles for dress their complaints to the Office of the Com-Table use, Cooking Utensils, Fuel, Lights | pany, which will receive the immediate atten-

pendix 15 to 17 of the Regulation.) Water, Medical Comforts, and Bedding for the Staff Sergeants and Troops, as well as for their families, will be found by Government. Owners are to supply a Distilling their expense to manage the Distilling Ap- in various forms, to any part of the Coparatus, to keep it in effective working or- lony.

Payment will be made for Staff Sergeants and their families at the rates exceeding by one third those which may be agreed upon

All Tenders must be made upon the Printed Form provided for the purpose, which may be obtained on application at the said Office, and be enclosed in sealed envelope and addressed to the Naval Store keeper, and bear in the left hand corner the words "Tender for the Conveyance of

No Tender will be received after 12 of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders Australia, America, China and Japan. o'clock at Noon on the day of Treaty. * In a ship provided with a Distilling Apparatus only half the stock of Filtered Water required by the Transport Regulations need be shipped,

New Advertisements.

No. 6, May 2nd, 1868.

Secretaru.

ISPENSING & ANALYTICAL

INTERNATIONAL DISPENSARY.

INHE Harbour-RACE postponed from the Meeting held in November last, will take on place SATURDAY, May 30th. Particulars can be obtained from the Un-

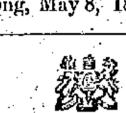
Hongkong, May 6, 1868.



marked "Tenders for Bills," will be received at this Office until Noon on TUESDAY, the 12th instant, for Bills on the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, or on the Governor General of sight, in exchange for current Dollars of Hongkong at 7.1.7, or number one clean

tified to the respective parties by letter, recredit of the Commissariat Account at the

Hongkong, May 8, 1868.



H. M. NAVAL YARD, Hongkong, 1st May, 1868.

I'HE Naval Storekeeper hereby gives notice that on THURSDAY, the 14th under the conditions contained in the Regulations of Her Majesty's Transport Ser-Japanese Ware, including Chow-chow vice and the form of Charter Party which may be seen at the above Office, for the of Vessels. Conveyance from Hongkong to England of about 14 Officers, 2 Staff Sergeants; 90 Men,

and other requisites (Article 201 and Ap- | tion of the Directors.

Fittings will be erected, and Provisions, der, and to issue the distilled Water,

for the Troops and their families.

THE CHINA MAGAZINE,

WEEKLY MISCELLANY ILLUSTRATED WITH PHOTOGRAPHS, CONDUCTED BY C. LANGDÓN DAVIES.

Round Hongkong in the Daisy (illus-MANIFESTHATIONS LETTER WRITTEN BY

MR. Home for the Inquisition at FREIND OF HER BROTHER, A NOVELETTE

A TRIP TO JAPAN. PASSING EVENTS. Illustrations.

THE COURSE OF "THE DAISY" OFF KOW-LOON IN THE EARLY MORNING. THE STREET LETTER-WRITER. Subscription, \$7.50 per quarter, payable in advance.

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SITUATE IN QUEEN'S ROAD DERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Su-

perior Hotel Accommodation will find it at the above Establishment. EDMUND R. HOLMES, Proprietor.

Breakfast. Refreshments provided at all hours. Regular Daily Mess at \$30 per month.

The undermentioned Papers are filed:-China Mail, Daily Press, China Express Illustrated London News, Punch, Engineer Scientific American, China Punch,

ICED DRINKS. Hongkong, May 4, 1868. HONGKONG HOTEL. ri HE above Hotel is now open, where Families and Gentlemen can find superior accommodation.

Private Rooms for Dinner parties. Breakfast from 9 to 10 A.M. ,, 1 to 2 P.M. Tiffin Dinner at N.B.—The Public Bar will be open or Saturday, the 7th instant.

CHAS. S. DUGGAN, Manager.Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED THE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels to their establishments at Whampoa and Hongkong, which

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF

offer every facility for the docking and repairs of Vessels of all classes. Their Docks at Whampoa are in good working order and are pumped out by Steam, and the workshops comprise the had different departments of Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boilermaker, and Machinery works. instant, at Noon, he will be ready to treat | Materials supplied of the best kind and on the most reasonable terms. A jetty with a pair of powerful lifting shears, alongside of

which masts and boilers can be taken out Their Hongkong establishment (lately known as Messrs Thos. HUNT & Co.'s Wanchi Shipyard) comprises also the different departments of Shipwright, Black (Officers and Men separately), which are to smith. Boilermaker and Machinery works

Their Granite Dock at Kowloon most advantageously situated, solidly built, and of full dimensions to admit the docking of any and Berths (Appendix 15), Articles for Table | Vessel coming to this harbour, will be com-The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"

bertli, at reduced rates. All works carried on under the superintendence of experienced European foremen.

For particulars, apply to A. D. MITCHELL, Manager of Works At the Office of the Company N.B.—Consignees or Masters of Vessels having cause to complain of the works done

at the Docks or at Hongkong, will please ad-

Hongkong, April 28, 1868.

NOTICE.

I'HE Undersigned having PURCHASED the Interest of the "WANCHI STEAM Apparatus, the requisites for baking Bread, BARERY," begs to notify the Public of Hong-and Water Casks or Tanks. A competent kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared Bank.

Person is to be provided by the owners at to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD

> low rates constantly on hand or baked in | U of I per cent, per annum on the daily quantities at short notice. Also Water, Butter, Sods and Sugar BISOUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY CORN STARCH, BICARB, SODA, Saleratus and Cream TARTAR. FLOUR of best Brands constantly on

CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at Mesars Thos. Hunt & Co.'s will receive prompt attention.

L. P. WARD. Hongkong, February 17, 1868,

New Advertisements.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL \$2,000,000, IN 2,000 SHARES OF \$1,000 EACH.

\$100 per Share to be paid on Allotment, and \$100 six months after Atlotment.

ceived by the General Managers, the form

To the General Managers and Consulting Committee of the Hongkong FIRE IN BURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED,

Gentlemen. $lue{-}$ One Thousand Dollars each in the above Shares, or any less number which may be allotted to me, and to pay a Call of One Hundred Dollars per Share on allotment, and a further Call of One Hundred Dollars per Share, six months after allotment, and I further undertake to subscribe to the Deed of Settlement when called on to do so.

I remain. Gentlemen. Your Obedient Servant,

RESOLUTIONS REFERRED TO ABOVE. No. 1. ing Committee are hereby authorized to adopt measures for the reconstruction of the Company as the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited, on the basis propos ed in the Memorandum of the 2nd April

No. 2. That the General Managers and Consulting Committee are hereby requested to receive applications for Shares in the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited and on the receipt of such applications to the extent of One Thousand Shares to cal an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company for the purpose of authorizing, its dissolution and the transfer of its assets and liabilities to

> JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers Hongkong Fire Insurance Company.

may be had at the Office of the Company, Queen's Road. Hongkong, April 9, 1868. WANTED IMMEDIATELY.

EASTLACK & WINN,

Surgeon Deutists.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAL

Office hours from 10 A.M., to 5 P.M.

Hongkong, April 16, 1868.

MRS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY WA BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT Hollywood Road, next door to the HOTEL

C. L. VOLKMANN, Private Boarding Establishment. 29, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, HONGKONG,

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COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman, -George John Helland, Esq. Deputy Chairman-GEO. F. HEARD, Esq. W. H. FOSTER, JR., JULIUS MENKE, Esq. JAMES B. TAYLOR, SOLOMON D. SASSOON, Esq.

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INTEREST ALLOWED Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at | \(\infty N Current Deposit Accounts at the rate On Fixed Deposits :--

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VICTOR KRESSER,

Hongkong, March 2, 1868.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

WITH reference to the following Reso-lutions passed at a Meeting of the

of application to be as follows:--

I request you to allot me Shares o named Company, and I agree to accept such

That the General Managers and Concultpresented to this Meeting.

N.B.—Forms of application for Shares RESPECTABLE Person as an AS-

SISTANT in a Millinery Store. Apply to "A. B. C.," Office of this Paper. | name and Aspinwall Hongkong, April 21, 1868.

R. WINN desires to say to his Patients that he has RETURNED from Shang-

Hongkong, May 1, 1867.

Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

ING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

VICTOR KRESSER, Esq. Hongkong, Chief Manager. Shanghae, DAVID MACLEAN, Eng.

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For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum, ,, 4 per cent. ,, ,,

Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, Wardley House, No. 1, Queen's Road,

Singapore, Point de Galle, Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and

日九十月四年辰戊治同

Southampton; Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta.

HE PENINGULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM Chap. V.

Sensation Poetry.

The street Letter-writer (illustrated).

Chap. V.

Ance Company held on the 8th instant, applications for Shares in the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited will be re-Cargo, will leave this for the above places, on FRIDAY, 15th May, at 7 A.M. CARGO and PARCELS will be received on board until Noon, and SPECIE until 4 P.M. on the 14th May.

Office, Hongkong.

Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

For particulars regarding Freight and

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Koute is required by the Eyyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Purcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention or prejudice which may happen from incorrect-

the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Shippers are particularly requested to note

ness on such declaration



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY:

THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK. STEAMERS of this line will leave Hong kong for Yokohama and San Francisco вв follows :---

CHINA, Capt.) on or about May 25.

Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on or

about same date, connecting at Yokohama with above-named steamer. Passengers ticketed through to California Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France. both via New York and by lines from Pa

Return tickets issued at a reduction of 10 % upon the whole amount for the round Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company,' (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet

Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship Co., and North German Lloyds. Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.
Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton and St. Nazaire, France.

For further information, apply at the

GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent. Hongkong, April 22, 1868.

Agency of the Company, Praya West.

Steam lugs.

NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

STEAM-TUG "FAME," 110 H. P. NOMINAL. With disconnecting Engines. THIS Powerful TUG is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in Harbour, | risk and expense. or Tow them to or from Sea. For particulars, apply to the Captain on board, or to the Office of the Company,

d'Aguilar Street, Hongkong JOHN'S. LAPRAIK,

NOTICE.

Hongkong, October 13, 1866.

HE STEAM TUG ISLAND QUEEN 130 H. P. Nominal, will commence to ply on the River Min and adjacent waters early in the spring, and will then be availrisk and expense. able to berth ships at the anchorage, and to tow to, and from, sea at usual rates. For further information, apply to Messes E. H. How & Co., Foochow, or to the Undersigned.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

Captain Knowles, will have

immediate despatch for the

FOR SINGAPORE. The A I American Barque "JOHN WORSTER,"

Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkohg, April 22, 1868,

Shipping.

STEAM TO CANTON. The Steam-ship "CALEDONIA'

will run at Night on the Canton River, leaving Hongkong from Messrs Russell & Co.'s Wharf, opposite Messrs Bosman & Co.'s Office, every Sunday, at 7 A.M., Tuesdays, and Thursdays,

Capt. G. STEWART,

FOR SHANGHAI.
The A 1 American Ship

FOR VICTORIA & PORT TOWNSEND. (Puget Sound.) The British Ship "SARAH MARCH,"

early despatch as above. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, May 6, 1868. The British ship "JOHN L. DİMMOCK," will have quick despatch as

> To follow the "John L. Dimmock," the American ship

FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY. The A I British barque "ATREVIDA,"
Captain Bisserr, having the

Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

Notices to Consignees. DUTCH BARQUE "STAD ASSEN," FROM BOMBAY MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above U Vessel are requested to send their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their Goods.

BOSMAN & Co. Hongkong, May 1, 1868. "GEORGE CROSHAW" FROM LONDON. ONSIGNEES of cargo by the above named Vessel are requested to send in their

nees' risk and expense. THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.

sel will be landed and stored at the Consignees' risk and expense. THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED. Hongkong, May 6, 1868. "WINDWARD," FROM NEW YORK. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees'

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkoug, May 5, 1868. "WEMYSS CASTLE," FROM LONDON. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the aboveonamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate

HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. Ex "Tigre," 5th December, 1867.

Ex "Imperatrice," 7th April. N C 1/8, . . . 8 Cases Liquots: Ex "Tigre," 3rd May. De Rostang, . . . 1 Parcel.

U. BERTRAND, Principal Agent, Hongkong, May 7, 1868,

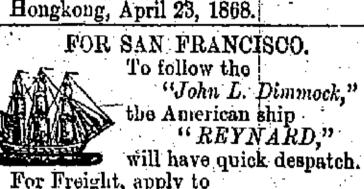
PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

at 5 P.M., and from Canton, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 5 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Capt. BARRETT, will have quick despatch for the above port. For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, May 8, 1868.

Captain Morton, will have

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.



greater portion of her Cargo engaged, will have quick despatch as above.

Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for

Hongkong, May 5, 1868, "ESTAFETTE," FROM AMSTERDAM AND SINGAPORE. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-U named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned

U named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods. Those having the option of delivery at this or Shanghai are requested to state at once, at which port delivery will be taken.

BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, April 27, 1868.

RT 581 1 Case Paper.

RUSSELL & Co. For Freight, apply to / RUSSELL & Co.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 23, 1868.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense without further

countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at the Consig-

for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-

delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consigness'

1 Basket Feathers Ex " Donnai," 7th January, 1868.

HAB 1269 . . . 1 case Ph'graphs.

Notices of Firms.

WE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January I, 1868.

R. THOMAS PYKE has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firm. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

NOTICE 11-HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A. FERGUSON in our Firm ceased on the 1st day of November, 1866. A. FERGUSON & Co.

HE Business will be henceforth carried ou under the same Name by the Un-

deraigned. A. D. MITCHELL,

J. D. MEYERS, and HENRY FEHRS. Hongkong, December 16, 1867. de 16-68

NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A. D. MITCHELL in our Firm, ceased on the 31st day of December, 1867.

A FERGUSON & Co. Hougkong, January 3, 1868. NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. W. C. VAN OORDY in our firm ceased on the 1st January, 1866. BOSMAN & Co. Hongkong, November 19, 1867.

Have this day established myself as a General Commission Merchant under the atyle or firm of VAN OORDT & Co. W. C. VAN OURDT.

Yokohama, October 24, 1867. NOTICE. . Y Business, as Ship and Insurance

conducted under the style or Firm of J. S. Hook, Son & Co. J. S. HOOK.

Hongkong, September 23, 1867.

S my Engagement ceases in May next. all outstanding Accounts for the pas-Two Years must be sent in immediately for

MARY HASTELOW RANDLE Superintendent. Diocesan School Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

NOTICE. HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER Saigon, December 20, 1867. NKOM and after this date, Captain J. C SAUNDERS will undertake the Business

of my Marine Surveying at this port. H. J. DRING, Marine Surveyor.

Foothow, August 1, 1867 171TH reference to the above. business hitherto carried on

H. J. DRING, Esq. at Foochow will be conducted by the Undersigned. J. C. SAUNDERS, Pagoda Anchorage.

Fonchow, August 1, 1867.

THAVE this day established myself at this Port as a Public Tea Inspector and General Commission Agent under the Style or Firm of John Odell & Co. JOHN ODELL.

Foochow, April 13, 1868. HOBSON & Co.. DUBLIC AUCTIONEERS, SHIPPING AND GENERAL BROKERS.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Kobe, Hiogo, Japan.

NOTICE. AAR. SIDNEY DEACON is authorized to sign our Firm per procuration from

DEACON & Co.

Canton, February 1, 1868.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. EMIL MAINTZ and Mr JAMES WHEATLES in our Firm ceased on 30th April last, and Mr FREDERIC C. ADAMS and Mr LEOPOLD Kann are this day admitted as Partners.

REISS & Co. China and Japan, May 1, 1868. jun1 HAVE established myself at this Port as a General Storekeeper and Commis-

sion Agent. JAMES EDWARDS. 89, Yokohama, March 19, 1868.

NOTICE. TRRYLE HOLME has been admitted 11 a partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. RICHARD B. PARK in our Firm, ceased on the 31st March, 1868. ALFRED WILKINSON & Co. Hongkong, April 16, 1863.

NOTICE. IN R BENJAMIN ROBERT STANFORD IVI was admitted a Partner in our Firm on 1st January, 1868. J. MoDONALD-& Co.,

Shipwrights. Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

NOTICE. HE connection of the Undersigned with the Firm of Messrs Thos. Hunt & Co. ceases from this date. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Hongkong, May 1, 1868. NOTICE. FROM and after this date Mr George F. Bowman will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this

S. L. PHELPS,

Hongkong, August 15, 1867,

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Notices of Firms.

NOTICE R. J. MURRAY FORBES is authovi rized to sign our name at Canton from

RUSSELL & Co. China, February 15, 1868.

Houses and Lunds.

TO LET. HE HOUSE No. 14, Shelley Street, adjoining the Club Lusitano. Ren

Apply to THOS. W. BARRINGTON. 53, Wyndham Street.

Hongkong, May 8, 1668. TO LET. HE Premises situated in Queen's Road Stanley Street, and at present occupied by Messrs H. Marsh & Co.

For particulars, apply to LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co Hongkong, 5th September, 1867.

TO LET. WO HOUSES on Carlton Terrace, Spring Gardens, with or without Go downs, rent moderaté.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, 5th September, 1867.

TO BE LET. I'WO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 63.

GAVIN THOMPSON at GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s. Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

TO BE LET. HOUSE in Queen's Road, commanding a good view of the Harbour from the North side. The House contains eight good Rooms with Bath Rooms, Vermidahs, front 11 Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto | and back, Kitchens, Servant's Rooms and carried on by myself, will henceforward be Godowns on ground Floor..

Apply to TURNER & Co. Hongkong, February 8, 1868.

TO LET. HE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Oil, Lavender Water, Pomatums, Fancy Messrs Elmenhorst & Sanders

For particulars, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

TO LET. WO Fine Houses marked C & D in Ho lywood Road, Hongkong, facing the Hotel d'Europe, and commanding a full view of the Harbour. Also two fine Houses on the Praya Graude, Macao. Immediate possession.

Mesara A. A. DE MELLO & Co. Messra ROZARIO & Co., Hougkoug.

Macao, April 18, 1868. TO LET. POUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor above the Offices of the Undersigned. 44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by Messrs C. Hock & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January, 1858.

For Terms, &c., apply to G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 6, 1867.

TO BE LET. TOUETHER ON A LEASE.

OR TO BE SOLD. HOSE 3 Substantially-built HOUSES, in Tai-ping-shan Street, Nos. 16, 18, and 20, at the head of West Street. Those HOUSES were entirely re-built in 1866 and are close to the New Gambling House in No. 100 Hollywood Road. same command a view over the entire har-

The Lot is registered in the Land Office is Inland Lot 241 A, contains 1,540 square feet, and the Annual Crown Ground Rent

For further particulars, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co., Hongkong;

or to H. D. MARGESSON, Rua Central, Macao. Hongkong, April 11, 1868.

> TO BE LET. ON A LEASE.

A LL that Large Plot of GROUND at A West Point, near the Sailor's Home and enclosed by a substantial brick wall. known as the French Marine Lot and registered in the Land office as Marine Lot No. 199. Measuring on the Praya and the South side, each 170 feet, and on the East and West sides, each 250 feet's containing

42,500 square feet. This plot of Ground facing the Praya is admirably adapted for a Coal or Timber Yard, or for a Ship Building or Manufacturing Establishment. For further particulars, apply to

CARLOWITZ & Co., Hongkongor to H. D. MARGESSON Rua Central, Macao.

Hongkoug, April 11, 1868. TO LET. O. S. PECHILI TERRACE,

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

TO LET. (Furnished.) N Airy ROOM in the best part of

THOS, W. BARRINGTON, No. 53, Wyndham Street. Hongkong, April 18, 1808, TO LET.

THE BUSINESS PREMISES, formerly occupied by Messis Arnhold, Kan-BERO & to., consisting of Dwelling House, Offices, and spacious Godowns. Possession to be had on the 1st March.

JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, February 22, 1868,

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE. PHE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise, in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite godowns, on Moderate Terms. ROB, S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 4, 1866.

Houses and Lands.

STORAGE AN be had in First Class (ranite Godowns at Wanchai, on very moderate

For particulars, apply to CHARLES RIVINGTON, At Messra Landstein & Co.'s Office, Stanley Street. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

TO BE LET.

Furnished or Unturnished. HE Dwelling HOUSE in the Albany at present occupied by Mr N. R. Masson. Occupation can be had in a few weeks Application can be made to Mr Masson at the Albany. Hongkong, September 25, 1867.

TO LET. · HE PREMISES situated at Fedder's Wharf, lately occupied by Messre AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January 1868. For further particulars, apply to THOS. HUNT & Co.

HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing four Rooms and Out Houses; Rent \$28 per month. Apply at the Victoria Foundry.

Hongkong, December 30, 1867.

Hongkong, March 12, 1868. TO LET N OFFICE with Godown and Compradore's Room.

Apply to MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, October 1, 1866.

auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. GENERAL WEEKLY SALE AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. v sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY

the 12th May, 1868, at Noon, at their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,-An Invoice of Rimmel's Perfumery, consisting of: Essences and Scents Cut glass Bottles, Eau de Cologne, Hair

Toilet Soap. l case containing Files and Chisels, 48 gross Bryant and Mays' Vesuvians, 50 piculs Coffee (prime quality), 50 piculs Cocoa-nut Oil, 5 cases Cheddar Loaf Cheese, 10 cases Wotherspoon's Confectionery, 10 American Platform Scales (lb. 400 to 1,600), 12 cases Carbines, 15 cases Long Muskets, 2,000 flasks 3 Gunpowder, 30 drums Boiled Linseed Oil. 50 cases Gin, 50 cases Claret (Chateau Margaux), 40 cases quarts Pale Ale, | separately or collectively. 18 cases quarts Champagne, 25 cases Pollock's Vienna Matches, 150 dozen Linen Handkerchiefs, 48 dozen Silk Handkerchiefs, 40 pieces Linen, 20 pieces Chintz 15 pieces Black Alpacca, 20 pieces Assorted Colors Buntings, 20 Opera Glass-

case Dawson's Boots, 50 bolts No. I Imperial Navy Canvas. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, May 9, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell Public Auction, on

THURSDAY, the 14th May, 1868, at Noon,—-

The old established House, known as the "WUTORIA HOTEL," situated in the Queen's Road West, No. 302. The GOODWILL of the above establishment, with all the FURNITURE FIXTURES and STOCK-IN-TRADE, comprising: 20 hlds. PORTER and a large quantity of WINES, LIQUORS,

TERMS.—Cash on the fall of the ham-

Hongkong, May 8, 1868.

New Advertisements. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steam-ship

Captain Asuron, will have immediate despatch for the ove Ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, May 11, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 British ship "WILLIAM CHANDLER,"
705 Tons Register, Brown
Master, will load as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BOSMAN & Co. Hongkong, May 11, 1868 BONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO

STEAM-BOAT COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE

CHANGE IN HOUR OF DEPARTURE.

HE Undersigned be; to give notice that on and after JUNE 1st 1868, the Company's Steamer "WHITE CLOUD," will leave HOEGKONG for MACAD at half past two o'clock P.M., returning from MACAO at the usual hour, of Eight o'clock M. On the above date the system of furnishing Meals on board to the Passengers will be discontinued.

By order of the Board of Directors. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

G-neval Agents. Hongkong, May 11, 1868. FOR S. LE.

N Invoice of Hubbuck's Patent Ground 24 White LEAD and White Zine PAINT, also Turpentine and Pale Boiled Linsced And a small Invoice of Patent Safety MAN & Co. MATCHES.

Apply to BLUM BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, May 9, 1868.

I) ASPBERRY, Strawberry, Rose, Currant. Cherry and various other SYRUPS made from real Fruit and bottled in the south of France, can be had at THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, April 16, 1868.

New Advertisements.

Königlich Preussisches Consulat, Hongkong, den 6ten April, 1868. IE nachstehende Bekanntmichung des Königlich Preussischen General Consulates zu Schanghae bringt hiedurch zur Kunde der Unterthanen der Norddeutschen

Bunderstaaten. J. MENKE, Stellvertretender Königlich Preussischer

BEKANNTMACHUNG. ACH dem Norddeutschen Bundes Gesetz vom 25ten October 1867 haben e Kauffahrteischiffe der Bundesstaaten. namentlich die Preussens, Micklen burgs, Oldenburgs und der Städte Bremen, Hamburg und Lübeck vom 1ten April 1868 ab als Nationalflagge ausschliesslich die l undesflagge zu führen. Dieselbe bildet nach der Königlichen

Namen des Bundes erlassenen Verordnung vom 25sten October 1867 ein längliches Rechteck, bestellend aus drei gleichbreiten horizontalen Streifen, von welchen der obere schwarz, der mittlere weiss und der untere roth ist. Das Verhältniss der Höhe Flagge zur Länge ist wie zwei zu drei. Bundesflagge wird von den Schiffen am Heck oder am hinteren Maste-und zwar in der Regel an der Gaffel dieses Mastes, in Ermangelung einer solchen aber am Top oder am Want geführt. Ein besonderes Abzeichen in der Bundesflagge oder einen Wimpel zu führen, ähnlich dem jenigender Kriegsmarine Barometer, ... des Norddeutschen Bundes, ist den Kauf-

fahrteischiffen nicht gestattet. Die Lootsenflagge der Norddeutschen Wet Bulb, ist die noue Bundesflagge im kleinen For- Maximum S. Rgr., mat, rings umgeben von einem weissen | Minimum S. Rgr., ... 75.5 Streifen, dessen Breite gleich der der inne- Max. Sun's Rays,

ren Stieifen ist: Die Kauffahrteischiffe haben die Bundesflagge stets zu hissen, sobald sie ein Schiff oder Fahrzeug der Bundeskriegsmarine, eine Festung oder ein Küstenfort passiren, welche ihre Nationalflagge gesetzt haben. Dasselbe gilt bei der Begegnung mit Kriegsschiffen befreundeter Mächte auf See. Nach § 18 des Flaggengesetzes genügen

die bisher von den einzelnen Landesbehörden ertheilten Certificate auch zur Führung der Bundesflagge. Alle nur mit interimistischen Consular-Certificaten versehenen norddeutshen Schiffe haten indessen sofort ihre Eintragung in der Heimath zu bewirken. Königlich Preussisches General Consulat. TETTENBORN.

CONSULAR NOTIFICATION. BRITISH CONSULATE, Canton, 8th April, 1868. HE Undersigned has been instructed by Sir Rutherford Alcock, K.C.B., Her

Shanghai, den 31 sten Mürz, 1868.

Majesty's Minister in China, &c., &c., to obtain the views of those interested in the trade of Canton regarding the establishment of a Bonded Warehouse, and would feel obliged by any information on the subject they will favour him with either D. B. ROBERTSON,

PRICKLY HEAT. tHOMPSON'S Non-poisonous LOTION for Prickly Heat and Mosquito Bites, guaranteed to give instantaneous relief. rice, \$1 per bottle. To be had only at the International Dispensary, 23, Wellington Street, nearly opposite the R. C. Hongkong, April 4, 1868.

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE. **▶**NVITE inspection of their New and well assorted summer Stock of

Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS. Naval and Military CLOTHS.

Light Mixt and Fancy TWEEDS. Self and Fancy Colored FLANNELS.

Plain and Fancy DRILLS, DUCKS, &c. Quilting and Marseilla VESTINGS. The Tailoring Department under | from China has become by degrees well

the management of first class English Cutters. TIES and SCAPFS in great variety. The new Shapes in Gentlemen's COLLARS.

Long Cloth, Silk and Wool SHIRTS. PAJAMAS. Gauze, Merine and Silk UNDERVESTS.

HOSIERY of all kinds. Gentlemen's Straw and Felt HATS in

Various Shapes. I Household LINENS of every description. A large Stock of French Printed MUSLINS of the Latest Patterns.

> French Printed CAMBRICS. Black GLACES, Plain and Fancy Silk GAUZES.

Grenadines and other New Fabrics Embroidered, Printed and Made-up

SKIRTS. CRINOLINES, Muslin EMBROIDERIES

and LAOEs of all descriptions.

Ladies' Trimmed HATS and BONNETS. FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c.

Ladies' and Childrens' UNDER-CLOTHING. Ladies' Cotton and Lisle HOSIERY

LISLE and Silk GLOVES, &c. Lace and Muslin CURTAINS. Hongkong, April 27, 1868.

LATEST SHIPPING. ARRIVALS. May 11, Frenest, Brit. ship, 571, Clarke, Saigon, April 29, 12,000 piculs Rice. - Gil-

Benefactress. for Yokohama. Chinaman, for Fuochow. SHIPPING REPORTS. The British ship Everest, from Saigon, reports fine weather and light variable wind all the passage to Hongkong.

Danzig, for Whampoa.

Taeping, for Foodhow.

Fiery Cross, for Canton.

Black Prince, for Foodhow.

QUOTATIONS.

Honorong, 11th May, 1868.)PIUM.--Patua, New. ... \$6425 -650 a 632£ Benares, Now,

very little demannd Malwa, COTTON. - BOMBAY. CALCUTTA,

 Exchange. Bank, 6 months' sight, 4/4+ a4/48 On Calentta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 219 Bonnbay, S days' sight, Rs. 217 a 217 1 Shanghae, 3 days' sight Bank, Tls. 721 Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B_{i_1} ... $11\frac{1}{2}$ per c. pre. Gold Bar, 98 touch.

English Sovereigns, Australian Sovereigns, Gas Company Shares. Old, 14 per cont pm. . & W. Doa dock. New, 6 per cent pin. . & S. Bank Shares, Old, 16 per cent pin.

H.kong Hotel Shares, 321 per cent dis. Inion Dock Shares, ... 121 per c. dis. Temperature.

Honorong, 11th May, 1868. Attached Thermometer. Dry Bulb, Minimum on Grass, ... 73.0 Previous Rain on Gron., 0.00

HONGKONG, MONDAY, MAY 11, 1868.

MR. BURLINGAME AND HIS COURIERS.

Cursed be the man, says a character in | one of Calderon's comedies, who first en trusted ideas to a bit of paper—and lousand instances of fatal indiscretion are disclosed every day in proof of the dangers of letter writing, more especially on the part of persons who are in any way public characters. It is strange that among the instructions furnished by Mr Robert Hart to his envoy, Mr Burlingame, when leaving Peking, there was no clause prohibitory of this perilous

proceeding, at least as regards the publica-

tion of anything that might be committed to paper. The letter addressed to the State Department at Washington by Ma Burlingame, explaining the motif of his Chartered..... supposed mission from the Chinese Government, is in most respects a very clever document, but it contains just one falsehood too much. The apocryphal story of impulsive affection on the part of the reverend seigniors of the Foreign Board at Peking, and the "playful" reception of their unexpected proposals, do as well as any other version of the true state of affairs which since Mr Burlingame's departure are so fond of. understood, and is now known to have consisted in an elaborate scheme for obtaining through a pseudo-mission from China the postponement of the revision of the Treaty of Tientsing, in order to cut away, if possible, the grounds on which the French Minister is resolved to attack Mr Hart in his entrenchments behind the screens of the Foreign Board; but why, did not the clever Mr Anson Builingame, let well alone and eave the status of his Chinese associates in the "mission" at least a matter of doubt Since Mr Burlingame left China the Shanghai newspapers have been mitted to publish a translation (evidently orlicial) of the despatches from the Peking stituted in the District Court of Kandy by Foreign Board in which Mr Burlingame's appointment is conveyed, and from these despatches it appears that two small

hangers-on of the Board, a Prefect and Tuotai, are despatched to travel abroad as Envoys, and the American Minister Burlingame, who is described as a very fit person, is subsequently appointed to accompany them. The light in which the Chinese Government regards M Burlingame is perfectly plain, and the light in which Mr Burlingame regards his associates is no less so. The Chinese Government has a perfect right to make, if it pleases, Envoys out of Prefects and Tabtais; but we wonder what it will think of Mr Burlingame's view of thei position, in the letter where he tells the world that two Chinese gentlemen of the highest rank (1) have been selected to conduct the Chinese correspondence and act as "couriers"! The last touch is very deligious, as the probable efficiency of the two Chinese magnates acting as couriers for Mr Burlingame in the United States and Great Britain must be patent to the meanest intelligence.

Lord Stanley, most probably, despite all obstacles, had an inkling of the true state of affairs in connection with Mr Burlingame, when he made the declaration in the House of Commons which His Lordship stated that, provided he tered in the same room in barracks, and he finds Mr Burlingame's gradentials in audient finds Mr Burlingame's credentials in order, (complainant) had suspicious of defendant

he will treat with him as the representative of the Chinese Government. When the credentials come to be examined. what will Lord Stanley think of those to be presented by the "couriers?" We exceedingly regret that the false statements which were carefully diffused at the time of Mr Burlingame's departure from China imposed upon ourselves in common with all our contemporaries the letter of "Civis Britannicus" giving the very first cause for any suspicion whatever; but Mr Burlingame's unlucky eagerness to prevent his two Chinese employers from being looked upon in their true capacity, as even the dammy heads of the Mission of which he is the mouthpiece, has let a fatal gleam of light

on the whole transaction. Sir Rutherford Alcock lately threatened the British communities of China with the vengeance of the Chinese Government, in whose hands their Memorials have been placed. We wonder what the Chinese Government will say when Mr Burlingame's letter is translated to follow the Memorials.

LOCAL.

THE Band of the 73rd Rogt, will perform in the Public Garden on Tuesday, the 12th May, at 5 P.M. The following is the pro-

OVERTURE, "L'Italiana in Algieri," Rossini,

QUADRILLE,... "La Belle Helene," ... Strauss. SELECTION. "Faust." Gound Valse, "Frührungs Lieder"... Gung'l GALOP, "Flick und Flock,," Hertel, . M. Troy, Band Sorgeant, Conductor. Mr Lobscheid in the advertising columns of the Daily Press, challenges some mythical person in the capacity of reviewer of Mr Lobscheid's dictionary, to appoint "a time and place within Victoria before competent Chinese and foreigners" to prove what Mr

L. designates "vile distortions of certain terms." Nobody being likely to take any notice of this inviting proposition, we may refer Mr Lobscheid, as regards "time and place," to the China Mail of May 9th; 1868, where the task he contemplates has already been fully executed. If Mr Lobschei i wishes to make any reply to that criticism, our columns are open to him, as to any other individual, for temperate discussion on a literary subject.

THE Governor having received a Notification from Monsieur Heuri du Chesne, Consul de France, to the effect that the Light House at Pondicherry has been re-established, and that the Light can as herotofore be seen at a distance of 15 miles. His Excellency has been pleased to direct publication of the same for general information.—By Command, J. GARDINES Austin, Colonial Secretary.—Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 7th May, 1868.

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THE following Account, duly certified, of

Hongkong & Shanghai 997,696

Total......\$2,008,346 \$1,000,000 A CORRESPONDENT sends us the following, which will be interesting to lovers of natural history :-- I caught yesterday a full grown Bicho de Mar near Green Island. It is alive and may be seen at the Hongkong Dispensary. The only place in China where it is to be found is Tang-kok, 25 miles East of Hongkong. I have counted 400 in a space of about 15 square feet, but all are small, the largest being about 7 inches. They are of the same kind as those from the Andaman Islands, which the Chinese

WE learn that in consequence of Mr Cecil O. Smith's being about to proceed to England on leave Mr Alfred Lister, Cadet, has been appointed Acting Registrar

WE find the following military items in the Ceylon Observer :- April 9, 1868. -In ac. cordance with instructions received from England and with the concurrence of His Excellency the Governor, six companies of the Ceylon Rifle Regiment will be held in readiness to proceed to the Straits Settlements for duty. Two of the above-named companies will be detached in Labuan. The troops to be prepared to embark, immediately on the arrival in Ceylon of the 4 Companies of the same corps now stationed at Hongkong. Major Hook, G. R. Regiment, will proceed in command. We understand that a case has been in-

Mrs. Emily Dixon against Mr Orby M

Hunter of the Ceylon Rifles, for breach of promise of marriage, in which the damages are laid at £2,000. TREES IN AUSTRALIA. - As illustrating the natural growth of timber in the more favourable districts of the colony of Victoria it is mentioned that Mr Percy Hodgkinson recently measured. near the source of the western branch of the Wori Yallock Creek, a tree (Eucalyptus Amyjdalina) that had been felled for splitting; its diameter one foot above the ground was 19it., and at 70ft. from the butt-end oft.; its length in a straight line was 330ft. Many of the adjacent standing trees were, however evidently of much greater height than this. A grove of the same kind of timber, at the head of the creek, contained on an acre of ground twenty large trees, of an apparent average height of about 350ft., and thirty eight saplings of a height of 50ft., the whole being suirounded by a dense undergrowth of large fern trees, musk, dogwood, &c.

TO-DAY'S POLICE.

LARCENY BY A SOLDIER.—Henry Cottrel, private of the 73rd Regiment, was charged with larceny of a silver watch from Murray Barracks on the 25th ultimo William Murphy, private in H.M.'s 73rd Regiment, stated that, on April 25, he had the silver watch produced safely in his possession in his tunic in the Barrack Room, but that in the evening of that day,

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store the watch.-The pawnbroker doing

soner pawned the watch and chain at about

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it when he asked the loan of the money .-

His Worship said that he did not see much

reason for doubting the statement of the

prisoner: but at the same time it was clear

that the robbery was committed by the pri-

2 would put in an appearance.

Raimondi) had refused to release the girl,

on the ground that Joseph Carlos was un-

employed and was in the habit of getting

drunk. His Worship ordered Joseph to

ask personally for the release of the girl,

CORRESPONDENCE.

To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL,"

9 May, 1868.

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ill be interesting to lovers of natural caught vesterday a full grown e Mar near Green Island. It is d may be seen at the Hongkong ery. The only place in China where e found is Tang-kok, 25 miles East cong. I have counted 400 in a about 15 square feet, but all are ie largest being about 7 inches. e of the same kind as those from aman Islands, which the Chinese

in that in consequence of Mr Cecil th's being about to proceed to on leave Mr Alfred Lister, nás been appointed Acting Registrar

the following military items in the Observer: April 9, 1868. In acwith instructions received from and with the concurrence of His ncy the Governor, six companies evlon Rifle Regiment will be lield in es to proceed to the Straits Settleor duty. Two of the above-named ies will be detached in Labuan. pops to be prepared to embark, stely on the arrival in Ceylon of Companies of the same corps now d at Hongkong. Major Hook, C. ment, will proceed in command. nderstand that a case has been inin the District Court of Kandy by mily Dixon against Mr Orby M of the Ceylon Rifles, for breach of of marriage, in which the damages

T Australia. — As illustrating the growth of timber in the more fae districts of the colony of Victoria ntioned that Mr Percy Hodgkinson measured, near the source of the branch of the Worl Yallock Creek, (Eucolyptus Amyydalina) that had led for solitting; its diameter one ove the ground was 19it., and at om the butt-end Oft.; its length aight line was 330ft. Many of the t standing trees were, however evidmuch greater height than this. the same kind of timber, at the the creek, contained on an acre of twenty large trees, of an apparent height of about 350ft.; and thirty. plings of a height of 50ft., the whole tirounded by a dense undergrowth fern trees, musk, dogwood, &c.

TO-DAY'S POLICE.

ENY BY A SOLDIER.—Henry Cot wate of the 73rd Regiment, was with larceny of a silver watch from Barracks on the 25th ultimo. Murphy, private in H.M.'s 73rd nt, stated that, on April 25, he had ver water produced safely in his on, in his tunic in the Barrack but that in the evening of that day, sed his watch. Defendant is quare h the same room in barracks, and he linant) had suspicions of defendant

tion he went to a pawnbroker's shop, and

there found his watch and chain, which he Bills of Exchange the Governor uttered a they lived. values at \$12. He could not say whether loud flourishing of trumpets about the either does not know what he is talking but expressive phrase, to do the poor people ker's shop, where the watch now in Court | "in the eye." was produced. Witness gave it as his

What does he mean by £10? is it 10 sovereigns? or Is it \$48 at 4/2 in, the Post Office rate of

business in Cochran Street, stated that pri- exchange? or 5 г.м. on the 25th April, and received \$5; ing upon the market rate of exchange? and showed the entry properly made in his

fortnight after the robbery took place. Post Office.

the purpose of spending the money in the the idea may therefore be dismissed as not same "spree" with those before named, likely to be carried out in practice, and and afterwards redeeming it and giving it consequently "the poorer classes" are not back to Murphy, with a full explanation likely "to escape the Stamp Act."

of the affair. He had been tried for the | If I may be allowed to give advice to the offence by Court Martial, and honorably Governor, I would say, "Take care to acquitted thereat. He never intended to avoid rash statements on mercantile substeal the watch, did not know what possess- | jects."-I am, yours faithfully, HOUSEHOLDER.

> JOVIALITY IN THE IRISH PRIESTHOOD.

> > (Pall Mall Gazette.)

In a day when almost everybody who is

soner, though he may have been in a state of semi-delirium. It was a very unfortunate good for anything either is or professes to thing for him, as the offence was not only be intensely "earnest," it is sometimes committed against Murphy, but against the pleasant to be reminded that the relics of law. Restitution was the best thing which the less self-controlling past are not all of could be done, after a robbery had been them absolutely swept away. Even if they committed, still that did not atone for the occasionally verge upon what propriet offence against or breach of the law. It was styles indecorum, our indignation is apt to a case in which he could well exercise le- be tempered with mercy. It is so easy to niency, taking into consideration the in- | become decorous without the faintest attention to return the property; and he tempt at being virtuous, that we are forced would send the prisoner to Gaol for one to remember that even in decorum itself month only. Here prisoner thanked the there are many degrees, and that what is Magistrate. I Had there been no call for really indecorous in one age may be perleniency, he would have sent prisoner to feetly blameless in another. With that Gaol for at least six months. He hoped | refreshing reminiscence of a bygone state that prisoner would take a lesson and avoid of things lately presented to us by the getting into a delirious state which made Cork ecclesiastic who acted as vice chaircrimes such as the one in question so easy; man at a "banquet" given by the Corka prisoner well knew that many went to the gians to a notorious itinerant Yankee, Happy Valley on account of excessive use memory wanders back to the doings of the of drink, because they did not know when old fashioned Irish priesthood, when Maythey were comfortable and had had enough. | nooth was not, and no Father Mathew had As to the non-discovery of the watch at the vet arisen to descant on the abominations first visit to the pawnbroker's, he would of whisky punch. Whether, indeed, it was investigate that question on Wednesday through the seductions of that pleasant next, when the pawnbroker and P. C. No. | drink, or from certain uncontrollable musical propensities, that the gentleman in A Malay seaman named Abdul Ramin, question was led to e lify the company with of steamer Aden, was charged with having "a song, illustrative of an Irish jig," i assaulted a shipmate with a sling-shot. The immaterial to the subject. Even if it was complainant showed a cut on the head, the good liquor that was the proximate made by the blow with the shot, and stated | cause of the performance, still the capacity his unalterable belief (by the Koran) that for the performance must have been already prisoner was the man who struck him. Pri- lying in repose in the clerical songster's soner denied all knowledge of the affair; breast, waiting only to be called into exerbut an European constable said that com- | tion by the favourite stimulant. And, on plainant had no hesitation in pointing out | the whole, it is difficult not to be slightly the prisoner on board the steamer at Aber- gratified at the thought. One can hardle deen.—His Worship said that he fully be very angry with a man whose contribu believed complainant. It was a very aggra- tion towards an anti English demonstravated form of assault, and he might have tion is a comic song, discussing, a le fractured complainant's skull; he would | mode Irlandaise, the important question send prisoner to Gaol for a month with whether it was Adam, or only King David, who invented the Irish jig. Whether Ho Ayau and Low Ng Yau, two old the reverend vocalist illustrated his per offenders, were charged with the larceny of formance by a personal exhibition of his a jacket. It having been proved, however, own skill in dancing, the report did that the first prisoner had nothing to do say. We have certainly heard of vencwith the offence in question, he was ordered | rable French ecclesiastics giving a proof of to find security for three months, as he had | their undecayed vigour by showing bow been two years previously at Stone-cutter's | people danced in the good old days; in Island. Second prisoner was sent to Gaol | this case, however, the display was in for two months, as complainant swore on private room where no newspaper reporters an imaginary cock's head that he was the were present. But whether or no the Corl banqueters were gratified with the sight of An American named Joseph Carlos appoint one of those whom the Record used to peared and made an application for a denounce as the "dancing clergy," there summous against the Sisters of Charity, can be little doubt that the priesthood and for having detained his daughter against | prelates of the new school must have been his wish. It appeared from Carlos' state- sufficiently scandalized at the song, taken

ment that the Vicar Apostolic (Father | simply by itself. For us quiet English people, to whose eves a dancing pars n is now almost as an familiar a sight as a curate who repudiates groquet, it may be permitted to doub whether that intensifying of the rigorous sacerdotal spirit which is the result of the present training of the Irish priesthood is altogether a gain. We know what it is in Eugland, both in the Established Church and in the Roman Catholic body, and we do not altogether like it. It is a very serious question, and just now one of the utmost Sir,—In the statement his Excellency practical importance, whether the Irish made at the recent meeting of the Legisla- | priests of to-day, taken as a whole, are tive Council, when introducing the drafts | an improvement on their spiritual ancestors of various new Ordinances, he gave utter- of one or two generations ago. In one ance to some remarks which require notice. respect it is undentable that our projects First, in regard to the Fire Brigade, he for their improvement have been a total expressed sorrow that the Insurance Com- | failure, and have tended to increase the evil panies had not given him the assistance he which we expected to diminish. The Irish expected, whilst from the Chinese he had lelergy are now in every way a far more met ready support. What does this amount | respectable set of men than they were of to, but simply that the Europeans are quite | old-judged, that is, by the puritanical and satisfied with the amount of arbitrary | Philistine tests of respectability. So far power already exercised in the Colony, and | Maynouth has done its work, and is still are unwilling voluntarily to place them- | doing it. But as an institution for conselves in the power of a properly-paid verting the priesthood from a disloyal to a Superintendent over whom they had no con- loyal body it has failed. The old dread of trol. Could not the Governor give up some the Frenchifying of the priesthood, through

at this very moment," Considering what | propitiate the Emperor of the French : yet | named Arthur Orton, who early in the year | is the Roman doctrine on the Eucharist, within a week he gave the word to his 1853 arrived in Hobart Town in the want of religious reverence, or a secret dis- sanction. belief in the dogmas of the Roman Church.

Protestant or Catholic Customs, which carried before he was ever called upon Orton." ter all persecution has practically ceased, it | penalty of recognising a slave owning Con- | Whitechapel, London, is because a generation brought up under federacy in the Southern States, we have one system cannot at once shake off its old | not to thank Lord Derby. modes of thought when a new system is As it is, however, the old customs and ideas of the Irish priesthood are now so rapidly vanishing away altogether that we are in no little danger of overlooking the extent of the changes that have already been accomplished. We cannot, therefore, too emphatically remind ourselves that when we propose to endow the Catholic clergy, and to give their colleges a definite status in a national university, we are proosing to deal with a race of men altogether lifferent from those who ligare in the records of the persecuting times. The typical jovial priest, both of fiction and reality, is

certainly by no means an extinct species, as the Cock demonstration plainly revealed just as the port-wine parson is still here and there to be found among his Anglican He is, moreover, of so harmless a nature that we could hardly be very anxious for his total abolition. We must further completely clear our minds of the old notion that all we have to do is to civilize the traditional hedge priest into a cultivated ecclesiastic, a zealous supporter of education, and a polished abbe whose agreeable manners and geniality make him a welcome visitor in the most Protestant of drawing-We have rather to do with men whom we ourselves have been helping Italianize after the genuine Papal standard and who are as unlike the ecclesiastics whom Pitt proposed to endow as the Anglican ishops of to-day are unlike the non-sacerdotal prelates of the Georgian era. Anglio mism happily contains, within itself a tendency to correct the intense clericalism which at times it generates. While bishors und architeacous in Convocation are claim ing for themselves all the privileges divinely constituted rulers of the Church numerable curates are mildly flirting country parsonages and at London tentables, and incumbents generally are more or less wildly excited on Oxford and Camoridge boat-races. But among the Roman clergy such ameliorating influences are unknown. Every year they become more and more priestly, and nothing else but priestly the conclusion is obvious. Whatever be the arrangements we contemplate for the pacification of Ireland, they must be accompanied by safeguards which would have

the ignorant, and the courtly. EXIT DERBY.

been wholly unnecessary when the Irish

Catholic clergy might have been roughly

livided into three classes, as the jovial,

(From the London Examiner.) There is an end to old Toryiem. combustible and are generally just as certainly not French in their tendencies, last of the high-born and affluent nobles

the priesthood. These pupils were brought any make-believe. Second, in regard to the Stamp Act, the up to believe in the Gallican school of cause, only a few days ago, when handing a old school of manners and literary cultivate grave or his humour pungent or playful, at stated, been disappointed in the three around Musnoo, and was to set to work on native draft to the Comprador for Collection. Few of them now survive, and those covers, in our mind, a multitude of smaller instances referred to. De Castro made his the more westerly and less difficult road on tion, he was quite surprised when told to who do survive have long been thrust aside sins. But we should be ashanted of our appearance. He evidently had been pre- the morrow. But there was no time to affix a dollar Stamp, and replied that it was by a younger race, who have no sympathy selves, and we are sure that the retiring paring for the trespass on Lady Tich- wait for improvements being effected, and Exhibition amount to about \$600,000. The only Chinese, showing I think that with with their intellectual culture, their polished Minister would feel only contempt and dis- bourne's credulity. Having succeeded in the column which accompanied the Head sum gained during the three supplementary upon papers which pass through the hands with all men. As to their nationalism in ed to make sudden discovery that for seven- prize of a baronetcy and £15,000 a year by used, or a single stone removed. In order france,

having taken the watch. He heard the of Foreigners. A proclamation, and if pos- theology, it is now denounced as little and-thirty years we had been wrong in gaining support in Sydney, and the ex- to get a day's march in advance to the cowatch had been sold to P. C. No. 2; and sible, a conviction or two might materially better than Protestantism, and the disdoubting that he was a profound politican Governor's private secretary, who once lumn, the Commander-in-Chief and staff priests at this table have it about them | the incentive to pass a Conspiracy Bill to | Tom Castro, is identical with a young man

THE "DOUGHTY TICHBOURNE" BOWLED OUT.

(Abridged from the Pastoral Times (New South Wales) March 7th.) When, many months ago, we exposed this impudent attempt on the part of Tom De Castro, otherwise "Tom the Cutter," once of Deniliquin, to secure for himself and his heirs the baronetey and broad lands the l'ichbourne family, we were accused of prejudice against De Castro. Knowing but little of him, not having the honor o his acquaintance while he belonged to the butchering trade in this town, it could not

be supposed that we had any animus against the quasi "Doughty Tichbourne." De Castro never came within the range of proability as the lost heir, and, as we wrote from accumulated facts for and against him collected with great care, we felt satisfied the age of miracles having long since pass g away, that De Castro could not possibly be | cribed as being ten miles north of Lake the long lost Roger Charles Doughty Tichbourne. De Castro was, when here, a but cher's assistant, and held other occupations, | the movements of the Commander-in-Chief: which do not prejudice us in the least, as and if the rate of speed which has been "Doughtyer" men than Castro have, in attained during the last few days can be this strange land of ours, felt it necessary kept up, part of the force will be in Magto fill menial avocations. About the time | dala before this reaches Bombay. In the that De Castro published to the world that | first place Fir Robert Napier could hitherto he was the heir of the Tichbourne title and | never calculate upon receiving reliable inestates Mr O'Grady, the heir to an Irish | telligence regarding the country and roads. peerage and property, was discovered in so he determined to go on and see every our inland districts engaged as bullock- thing for himself instead of attempting to driver. So that De Castro's sphere of life | form correct impressions from imperfect and in Deniliquin had no influence with us in | contradictory reports. The uncertainty deciding against his claims. Young Roger | which prevailed at Antalo regarding the Tichbourne was upwards of twenty one amount of work necessary to be done before years of age when he left England-his the first brigade could advance, the time education was of the first-class-he had been | it would require to execute it, and indeed an officer in the Carabineer Guards, and we | the a trisability of proceeding with it at all, need hardly say that he was a gentleman. | was not only irritating but ruinous in the He was, we believe, about the medium last degree; consequently His Excellency neight, and when he left England was in was driven to the conclusion that, in order possession of a circular letter of credit. He to economise time, labour and money could draw on the family bankers from any | much as possible, he must undertake repart of the world. He sailed for South | connoitering and pioneer work himself, and America some sixteen years ago; the ship issue daily instructions for the guidance of was lost with all hands, as it was supposed working parties. This determination on and believed. Nothing was heard of the the part of the Commander-in-Chief conveys ost heir. The younger brother who was the very strongest reflection on the manner then heir to the title and estates, died in in which certain officers have performed the meantime, leaving an infant son : and | their duty hitherto; but it has not be n the Dowager Lady Tichbourne, having lein | adopted a day too soon. For the futur, thus deprived of both her sons—one by the pioneer force will not waste weeks upon drowning and the other from natural causes | roads which are impracticall, nor will it -gave way to passionate grief. She felt an | err in the opposite direction by devoting inward conviction (as many persons before too little attention to places attended with Progenerant aquilae columbam her have had when struck with like misfor- real difficulty or danger. Anomalous, Doctrina sed vim promovet insitam. tune) that Roger Tichbourne was still alive. | therefore, as it may seem, the pioneer forc | Rectique cultus pectora roborunt. A sailor man, we hear, called at her man- makes the road after a large part of the sion and supported the Downger's hopes in army has passed; indeed it may almost be The good and brave spring from the brave of his despotic notions, and meet the Fo- their education at the seminary of Doury, wick was the last of the barons who govern- regard to young Roger; he informed hear said to follow the first brigade. The and at other continental seminaries, was all ed England sword in hand; Strafford was (very likely at the instigation of De Castro) | gigantic blunder which came to light at | (Tence comes the value of a Pedigree) Why should Lands be assessed for the along nothing but a bugbear. And as for the last of the courtiers who ruled in the that the missing heir was alive, which she Antalo was the immediate cause of this The horse for swiftness, and the ox for food support of a Fire Brigade? They are in the new generation of clergy, they are name of Royal Prerogative; Derby is the believed—on the principle (it is fair to pre- change in the conduct of the campaign. Transmits its nature to posterity. sume) that "the wish was father to the It was then evident that immediate The warlike Eagle is not known to breed valuable after a fire as before, and couses but they are far more auti-English than who for two centuries have borne sway thought"—sustaining herself by hope that measures were necessary to prevent a re- The timid dove, on which it loves to feed; quently will derive no benefit from the were the pupils of the foreign nurseries of over Crown and people by dint of tradition. her son Roger had escaped from a wreck currence of such a blunder; and without Yet by instruction, it is no less true wherein all the persons on board were loss of time, Sir Robert proceeded to That innate powers are brought out to view. We have all our lives been opponents of drowned. It was this fond feeling that in Musgee, on the the 12th instant. Thus As cultivation, on a fertile soil, Lord Derby. We have never denied or duced this lady to accept before seeing De far the road was good and comparatively Improves the crops and pay the master's toil. Government cared to press for, was that national Church as against the autocracy of gradgingly questioned his transcendent abi- Castro, no less than three persons in suc- level, but beyond this, there was no road at

conceal his birth?

Despite the evidence against De Castro, there are many in these districts who still believe the latter to be Roger Charles Doughty Tichbourne.

THE ABYSSINIAN EXPEDITION.

(From the special correspondent of the Times of India.) CAMP MUKHUN, March 17. The present locale of the Head Quarters of the Field Force may most easily be des-Ashaugi. Since I last wrote, a variety of circumstances have combined to accelerate the same revenue should be raised. Could Rome, and so far there was nothing disloyal lities as a partison chief; and the example cession as her lost son. Buoyed up by all. The pioneer force, under Brigadier it not be moreased by making the Chinese in their training. Moreover, they were he has set as a speaker, of talking thorough- the sailor's strange story that her son General Field, had just returned from their contribute more? This point is raised be most of them more or less gentlemen of the ly good English, whether the occasion were lived and would return to her, and having, mad tilt against the hill and precipices young lady into a fainting fit as she was

approval of fanatical devotions as a base and a truly great man. From first to last, knew well the Tichbourne family, having did not halt at Meshak, the first camp be-Incidentally when referring to Stamps on subservience to the heretics among whom Lord Derby's function has been that of ut- declared that De Castro was like the Tich- youd Musgee, but proceeded at once to tering an unavailing veto upon all the great bournes, the latter raised means, and Attala. For a few miles, the native track, On the other hand, the old-fashioned measures of national improvement which boldly made for London and Paris. What | though stony and rough, presented no diffiprisoner meant to return the watch or not poorer classes being able shortly to send hedge priest has almost, if not absolutely, other men foresaw and foreshowed as inevi- did "Sir Roger" do when he reached the culties which a lightly loaded mule might -Michael Quinn, also private 73rd Regt., small remittances with no additional charge disappeared. His poverty is not the thing table. He began political life by a brilliant. latter gay city? Did he call upon any of not surmount with ease. But by-and-bye, said that, on the 8th inst., prisoner asked except 2/ on £10 by means of Post Office it was, and propriety is the mot d'ordre in speech in defence of the indefeasibility of his relatives, friends, and acquaintances, affairs assumed quite a different complexion; him for a loans of \$4, as he wished to release orders. By this remark he shows that he every diocese in the island. The delightful the right of the Established Church in Ire-after an absence and silence of thirteen a narrow ravine was entered, in the bottom incident of the stealing of the episcopal land to have and to hold the property stolen years or more? He did not. Overcome by of which flowed a fine stream, with a strip when the color-sergeant, Murphy, and wit- about, or that he is trying, to use a vulgar small clothes by two brother prelates, who by law and kept by force of Horse, Foot, mental anguish, and fearing the shock of promising barley on either side, the desired to dine at "the Castle," unaccom- and Artillery; and he was not long in office would be too great for him, Tom de Castro, track which was literally causewayed with panied by one of those simple-hearted old until he brought in a Bill abolishing ten who had, as stated, been butchering in Aus- smooth slippery boulders, was only about men who in those days were sometimes bishoprics, and giving two-and-twenty per tralia-he, a man of iron nerve, strength- three feet wide, and in some places not made bishops, would now be an utter cent. of the tithes to the landlords, of ened by the roughing he passed through at more than one and a half : it was bounded impossibility, even though the hiding whom he was one. His next exploit was the antipodes—turned into bed, sent for on the right by precipices twenty or thirty of the said breeches took place as lately an attempt, for two years successful, to the Dowager Lady Tichbourne, and there feet deep, and on the left by the perpendi-Is it a variable number of dollars depend- as the Lord Lieutenancy of Lord prevent a railway being made over shooting- (his body had grown from 5ft. 8in. to 5ft. | cular mountain side. In many places the Clarendon. Cardinal Cullen has taken ground between Liverpool and Manchester, | 11in.) he saw his mother! The Old Man | conviction forced itself upon one that his Turning up old files of the China Mail good care that no bishop shall dine at the as a mischievous invention dangerous to of the Sea never stuck more closely to horse was far more likely to miss his books. On 8th, he produced the books we find the quotations on 8th May, for Castle as of yore, and we should almost ex- life and injurious to trade; and one of his Sinbad than did De Castro stick to the footing than not, and that the conseand the watch and chain, upon inquiries sovereigns in 1864 \$4.40, in 1865 \$4.55, pect a similar practical joke to be perpetrat- last acts has been to sanction a project for credulous Dowager, who immediately requences of the slip could hardly be being made for the same.—P. C. 2 (Euro- and in 1866 \$4.60; and the equivalent of ed in the Jerusalem Chamber as to see it buying up various lines of railway. As cognised in Tom her long lost son. "I am other than serious—a feeling which pean), who got the watch, showed an sight exchange at same time 4/7½, 4/2½ and repeated by a Roman Catholic prelate in Irish Secretary he undertook to stamp out as satisfied," said the Dowager, in her does not always tend to steady one's nerves amount of obtuseness regarding his part in 4/6 per dollar, consequently the ignorant Dublin. So, too, those other various ec- disaffection, to silence the demand for Re- affidavit on the subject, "that he (De Cas- or limbs. The wonder therefore was not the transaction worthy of any of the Sheik poor in those years instead of paying 2/ for clesiastical improprieties—viewing them peal, and put a gag in the mouth of the tro) is my long-lost son, Roger Charles that one or two of the baggage animals Alis which the new force could produce. getting their £10 remitted would have had from the Roman point of view-which were press by Government prosecutions: in his Doughty Tichbourne, as I am of my exist- should have come to grief, but that fifty He said he entered the pawn-broker's to pay respectively \$4.76, \$0.48 and \$3.56 | characteristic of the older race of priests too long and well remembered words, "Ire- ence." A major who served with young per cent of them should not have been shop by warrant, although he did nothing more than if they had gone to a Bank. have become things bygone. Nevertheless, land must be taught to fear before she Tichbourne in the Carabineers swears, equally unfortunate. Of course there were of the sort; he observed that he had an | In the same way with sovereigns in 1864 | their past existence ought not to be forgot- could be brought to love." More than a to the best of his belief, that De Castro | miraculous escapes. A sowar of the 3rd interpreter with him, but he could not and 1866 they would have had to pay 3/6 ten, while their origin ought to be charit- third of a century has passed and gone is Roger Tichbourne; the drill-sergeant Light Cavalry and his horse were both prepoint out the man in question; and alto- and 7/ respectively more than if they had ably accounted for. It is certainly not five- since that ruthless threat was uttered, and swears this is Mr Tichbourne whom he cipitated over a cliff thirty feet high, and gether it was not at all extraordinary gone to a Bank, but in 1865 they would and-twenty years ago when an English what has come of the Knowsley code for drilled. The father-confessor (the family sustained no injury. Were the road less that the watch was not found for about a have gained 8/6 by taking sovereigns to the Roman Catholic priest, who had been making Ireland loyal by making her afraid? being Roman Catholic affirms that Tom dangerous and difficult, a more lovely ride preaching the sermon at the opening of a Sooner than yield free trade in food Lord is the "Doughty Tichbourne." But | than that through this ravine could hardly -Prisoner, in his defence, stated that it As for the variable rate, I should like to large new church in an Irish country district, Derby broke with Sir Rebert Peel, and here ends the proof in his favour. The be conceived: it is far more grand and was a drucken "spree" from beginning see the plan that would be proposed. It was discussing the fitting up of the altar, put himself at the head of a powerful Court of Chancery is not so easily imposed picturesque than that up the Rarayguddee to end, with the witnesses Murphy and would, no doubt, be interesting to Bankers, on which he observed that there was no party organised upon the principle of upon, so they despatched a Glasgow legal Pass. The rugged and barred mountain Quinn, and that he took the watch at first but as it would be a trading operation, "tabernacle," which is the technical name Protection; but on the very first opportu- gentleman to Australia to make inquiries sides contrast strongly with the fertility of only in "sky-larking." He pledged it with Government would be certain to lose, and for the small closet in which the Roman nity he re-entered office as Premier casting as to the truth of Tom's allegations, and the narrow strip of valley below, while the clergy preserve the consecrated wafer for Protection to the winds. "Again and this gentleman has followed on the track of stream to which the track descends every giving communion to the sick and on other again and again he would persist," he said, the quasi-heir with the vigilance of a first- two hundred yards or so, is almost comoccasions. The conversation took place at 'in refusing to remove the disabilities of class detective. We give the climax from | pletely hid from view by the gigantic willow the dinner at which some dozens of the | the Jews." But one fine evening he found | the Hobart Town Mercury :- "Mr John | trees which grow thickly upon its banks, and clergy were regaling themselves after the it convenient to do as wiser men than him- | Mackenzie, a gentleman of the legal profes- | which afford a grateful shade to the travelsolemnity of the morning. "How do you | self saw must sooner or later be done; | sion, who has been in these colonies for | ler, whose eye soon tires of the dazzling manage, then," asked the Englishman of and with a laugh, still vowing he "would some months past, prosecuting inquiries in limestone and sandstone rock above. his neighbour, "when you are suddenly ne'er consent, consented." When it served the above cause under an order from the Though Meshak is an extremely pleasant called to give the communion to a dying | the purpose of damaging a Liberal compe- | Court of Chancery, has again paid Hobart | spot, well-sheltered, and well-watered, it person?" "Oh!" said his new acquaint- titor for power, Lord Derby announced Town a visit. We understand Mr Mack- has no supplies of grass or grain, and may, ance, "we always carry the blessed sacra- himself as having a mission to stem the enzie has ascertained, as the result of his | perhaps, be more often passed by than ocment about with us in a small case hung | tide of democracy: we have all seen how | investigation, that the Australian claimant, | cupied, even for a night. So exceedingly round the neck. Probably every one of the he fulfilled his mission. From his lips came | who was known in New South Wales as | steep is the ghaut beyond this, that more than one thousand men had to be set to word upon it before the column could ascend. and after all the ascent of three miles gethe amazement of the Englishman, unfami- adherents to vote want of confidence in ship Middleton, Captain Storie, now of nevally occupied two or three hours and liar with the ways of Ireland, may be readi- Lord Clarendon and his colleagues for | the Harrowby, in this port, in charge | caused the complete break-down of a few ly imagined; and yet the story is only one | introducing that measure. There are, in | of two Shetland ponies, imported by Mr | mules. Towering above the top of the ghant of a vast number of the same sort, all indi- short, few great changes in our policy which T. D. Chapman. Orton signed ship's arti- is the famous Amba Alachee, the strongcating a social and political condition per- Lord Derby, acting either upon fastinct or cles as a butcher, and was afterwards in the hold of the rebel Wulda Yessoo. A more haps without parallel in any other part of a mistaken view of interest, has not vehe- employment of various butchers in this inaccessible place it would be impossible to the world. To the ordinary looker on, such mently, though vainly, endeavoured to town, and ultimately was engaged here by conceive; no way of access to it is visible, proceedings seem to indicate either an utter | thwart, and eventually been compelled to | Mr Johnson to proceed to his station of | and the scarped rocks all round the summit Mewburn-park, Gipps Land, to act as a protect the huts of the soldiers from shot To call such a man far-sighted or philan- stockman and general servant. We also and shell, while they afford every facility But they prove neither the one nor the thropic is simply to use the terms of understand that the photographs of You for hurling down stones and other missiles other. They prove nothing but a deficient sycophancy or sarcasm. The two measures | Castro, who is known in England as Sir | upon an invader. The descent of this sense of the incongruity of their habits with | with which in early days his name is most | Ro er Charles Doughty Tichbourne, Bart., | ghaust is even more tedious than the ascent; their opinions, the natural result of that honourably associated—that of mixed educa- have been recognised by his former em. stoppages from loads falling off are consecreey in all matters of religion which per- tion in Ireland and the abolition of slavery players and other parties here as correct stant; stones of all sizes, set in motion by secution forces upon its victims, whether in the West Indies- were, in principle, likenesses of the above-mentioned Arthur some stumbling mule, come shooting down the side with tremendous velocity, and no would be scandalously irreverent if practis- officially to announce them; and in their | And so De Castro is bowled out! There | small amount of acrobatic skill and power ed in a land where religious inequalities are practical working both were found to re- will now be no great difficulty in finding is required to avoid the avalanche. On unknown, are actually necessary to the per- | quire, ere long, essential modification. In | out who he is, what he is, and where he | reaching the plain, in which Attala camp is formance of spiritual duties when the law foreign affairs the ex-Premier has never came from. Tom will again have to go situated, and looking back upon the Amba forbids the exercise of a man's religion in played a conspicuous part; but if we are back to the butchering business. We are Alancho ghaut, it is almost impossible to the light of day. If they survive, long af- not to-day at war with America, as the told that he was a butcher's assistant in believe that men and mules descended its a sparently perpendicular sides in safety; This is one of those cases in which fiction | and beyond, it a distance of a hundred wears the strong aspect of truth. Why wards, the towering Debra Moosa, over should Roger Tichbourne, with a circular which next day's march leads, seems like a letter of credit, go about the country filling | wall of solid stone, three thousand feet menial employments? Why should be be- high. The march from Attala to Mukhun gin his letters with a small "i"? Why is by far the severest we have yet experienced. The intervening country consists We in Deniliquin, as well as the good exclusively of three ranges of lofty and people of Wagga Wagga, and of other towns | precipitous hills, with a narrow strip of where De Castro lived, watch with eager- | valley between; and seeing that the smallness: the last act in this singular drama, est possible amount of work has been We think it will soon be finis De Castro, expended on the road—the column merely halting for half an hour to roll aside a few rocks—the ascent and descent of these hills represent so much scrambling rather than marching. Following close upon the trying march from Meshak to Attala, the fatigue of yesterday proved too much for many of the mules which sank in numbers on the road, I saw at least half-a-dozen head or dying, and ten times that number \ must have been unfitted for further diffective service. Of the seven hundred mules which left Attala at six o'clock yesferday morning, the majority arrived after six o'clock at night; many after eight, and some are dropping in as write. But for the exhausted condition of the mules, no halt would have been made here to-day—nor perhaps between this and Magdala. But now that road-making is all but suspended, it will be found that delays on account of the baggage animals will be absolute, as no train in the world could hold out for a week against the killing work and irregular feeding of the past three. days. The force is probably not far from that stage, however, where all carriage will be disallowed, except so much as is required to carry provisions for the troops on the march. The advance column will, in all

probability, have to bivouse beyond Lat, the tents being brought on at leisure if required. The camps at Musgee, Meshak, Attala, and Mukliun are respectively eight, twelve, and fifteen miles apart, and are all situated in well-watered valleys. Every valley in this part of Abyssima has its s ream. It will be seen from the foregoing that Sir Robert Napier has now attained the highest rate of speed which will be practicable or desirable, till the finish, THE following lines from Horace, translated as below, appeared in a West of England naper in the obituary notice of a popular M. P. for the District, :-Fortes creantur fortibus et bonis; Est in juvencis, est in equis patrum Virtus, neque imbellem feroces

Horace Carm. b. Av. 29.

A MIDNIGHT elopoment in New York was frustrated by a cat, who frightened the going down stairs to meet the expected lover at the door.

It is stated that the profits of the Paris them it is not usual to affix Stamps except manners, and their desire to live at peace gust, if we now turned round and pretend: getting the start in the race for the brilliant Quarters advanced before a spade had been days for the poor of Paris was 176,000 MAILS WILL OLOSE:-

For INDIA, EUROPE, &c. Per La Compagnie des Services Maritimes des Messageries Imperiales Str. "TIGRE," on Saturday, 23rd inst. at 11 o'clock A.M. To and through the United Kingdom via Marseilles to France and other Continenta. States (in a closed mail to France) to Saigon, Singapore, Galle, India, Aden, Seychelles, Reunion and Mauritius, Sucz and Alexandria. Let-

ters for Registration will be received until Noon on 23rd instant. Correspondence intended to be forwarded by the vessels of the above company must be superscribed per Messageries Imperiales Packet "---

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

General Post Office. Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

MAILS BY THE "MALACCA." The Contract Packet "MALACCA" will

Late Fee of 18 cents.

The latest time for posting Letters at this | kinds, curry combs, copper and steel Office is 6 A.M. and for Newspapers, graving, plates and confectionery of all Books, or Patterns 5 a.m. on the 15th

Further, late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Murseilles or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 6.30 to 6.50 A.M. on payment of a late fee of 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no Letters can be

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence of Box Holders will be received at the window set apart for the purpose, on the East Side of the building. All correspondence for places to which pre-

payment is compulsory must be prepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps. Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed to the United Kingdom will be sent on, charged with a fine of One Shilling in

addition to the postage. Letters posted after 5 A.M. on the 15th May will not be forwarded unless the Lat Fee as well as the postage is prepaid. Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped addressed to places to which they can not be forwarded unpaid, will be opened and returned to the writers as earl es possible, but no guarantee can given that such Letters, if posted after 9-P.M. on the 14th Inst., will be return-

ed until after the mail is closed. Postage Stamps should be placed on th upper right hand corner of the corres pondence, except in cases where they may be used in payment of "Late Fees," when the Stamp or Stamps represent ing the late fee should be placed on the lower left-hand corner.

Ill transactions in fractional parts of a Dollar will be conducted in the Coins prescribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and the Proclamation of the 22nd January. 1864, and no other Coins, but those therein specified will either be received or given in change as fractional parts of a Dollar.

Payment for Postage Stamps must be made in the current Dollars of the Colony or Bank Notes. F. W. MITCHELL

Postmaster General. General Post-Office,

Hongkong, May 4, 1868.

TT is hereby notified for general information that henceforward Book Packets and Packets of Samples or Patterns may be transmitted by the Post in the Mails by the British Contract Packets between Hongkong, Shanghai, Yokohama, and Nagasaki, at the following rates, viz:-FOR A BOOK PACKET, OR A PACKET

OF PATTERNS Under 4 ounces. Above 4 ounces and not exceeding 8 ounces, . . . 12 Above 8 ounces and not exceeding 12 ounces, . . . 18 ,,

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The Postage must in all cases be paid in Special attention is directed to the fol-

lowing Rules and Regulations which will be

strictly enforced:-AS REGARDS BOOKS. A Book Packet may contain any number of separate Books, Ahnanacks, Maps or begs to solicit the support of the read whether sealed or open); and the Books, Maps, Paper, &c., may be either printed,

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or usually appertains thereto. Every Book packet must be either without a cover, or in a cover open at the ends

It must not contain any letter, open or sealed, nor any sealed enclosure whatever. No packet must exceed two feet in length, breadth or depth; exceeding these dimensions it cannot be forwarded through the AS RECARDS PATTERNS

They must not be of intrinsic value. This rule excludes all articles of a saleable nature, and indeed, whatever may have a value of its own, apart from its mere use as a pattern; and the quantity of any material sent ostensibly as a pattern must not be so great that it can fairly be considered as having on this ground an intrinsic value. There must be no writing or marks other than the address of the person for whom the packet is intended, a trade mark and numbers, and prices of the articles; otherwise the Packet will be detained or for-

warded charged as an unpaid letter. The Patterns must be sent in covers open at the ends, so as to be easy of examination. Samples however, of seeds, drugs, and so forth, which cannot be sent in open covers, may be enclosed in bage of linen or other material, tied at the neck; bags so

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closed that they cannot readily be opened even although they be transparent, mus not be used for this purpose. Non-com pliance with this rule will also subject the packet to be detained, or forwarded as an unpaid letter. The Packets or the contents thereof must

not contain any inclosure, sealed or otherwise closed against inspection.

In all other respects the general regula tions of the Book Post will apply to the Pattern Post. Under these regulations, in order to prevent any interruption to the regular transmission of letters, a Packet of Patterns may, when it is necessary be kept back for the following Mail by which, in the ordinary course, it would be forwarded.

The decision of the Postmaster General as to the eligibility of any Packet, pattern, or sample contained therein, to be forwarded under these regulations, will be final and conclusive. The rule which forbids the transmission

through the Post of any article likely to injure the contents of the Mail Bags or be dispatched with the usual Mails for Boxes, or the person of any Officer of the Europe, &c., on FRIDAY, the 15th Post Office is, of course, applicable to the May, at 7 A.M., and the Post Office Pattern Post; and a packet containing anywill be open for the reception of Ordi- thing of the kind will be stopped, and not nary Letters, Letters for Registration, sent to its destination. Articles such as Newspapers, Books, &c., until 9 P.M. | the following have been occasionally posted on the 14th Inst.: Letters, &c. may be as Patterns and have been detained as unposted in the night box from 9 P.M. on | fit for the Post, viz.: Metal boxes, porcethe 14th last, until 5 A.M. on the fol- lain and china, fruits, vegetables, bunches of flowers, cuttings of plants, spurs, knives, Il Letters posted between 5 and 6 A.M. on | scissors, needles, pins, pieces of machinery, the 15th May will be chargeable, in sharp pointed instruments, samples addition to the usual postage, with a | metals, samples of ore, samples in glass bottles, pieces of glass, acids of various

> F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

HE subjoined Transcript of a Telegra from the General Post Office in Lon don, which was received by the Undersigned this day, is published for general informa-

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General General Post Office. Hongkong, Feb. 3, 1868.

To Point de Galle, From London Post-master Bayley. Advise Australian Post-masters and Com-

pany Agents that a more favorable arrangement of dates for Australian Mail than that shown by time table has been made. Onward (outward) Mails for China and Australia will leave seven days latter (later) than dates in time table; homeward Australian Mails will leave on (one) day earlier than in time table First outward Mails to Australia on the new plan will leave Southampton twenty first of March; 1st homeward Mai from Australia under new plan will leave Sydney twenty-eighth of March. Stay of vessels at Ceylon will be avoided. Intervals for replies in Australia and London will b much shortened. Advise also Bombay, Ca cutta and China. Particulars by to-day's

> 10. 1 р.м. 13. 1.55. (Signed) THOS. AUSTIN. In Charge.

Tel. Office. Galle, 13th January, 1868. True Copy.:

F. BAYLEY,

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Advertisements will be charged Tis. 1 per 10 lines, for the first insertion, and 50 ets, per 10 lines, for each subsequent inser-Shanghai, January, 1867.

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For subscription lists, with prices,

J. B. MORRIS. Care of Messrs Bowra & Co. Hongkong, March 4, 1868.

THE CHINA MAGAZINE.

A WEEKLY MISCELLANY, 24PP. IMPERIAL SVO. Hon. JOHN DENT, | G. THOMSETT, Esq. Illustrated with Photographs. Conducted by C. LANGDON DAVIES, Published for the Proprietor by Noronha & Sons, Government Printers,

Hongkong,

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QUARTERLY SUBSCRIPTION ! In China, the Straits, Saigon, Manila and Bangkok, \$7.50. In Great Britain, In France, Fcs. 50. G. J. HELLAND, Esq. Hongkong, March 19, 1868.

THE Members of the late Hongkong Volunteer Corps are hereby requested to return without delay to the Undersigned the RIFLES they have been allowed to retain pending sanction for their purchase, the same not having been allowed. H. COHEN. Hongkong, March 13, 1867,

Intimations.

NOTICE. IT is hereby notified that the portion of Robinson Road which lies between Castle Road and Bonham Road is CLOSED to the Public from this date during certain Alterations and Repairs.

W: WILSON, Surveyor General Surveyor General's Office.

WANTED y Y a Gentleman just arrived, a Situation as BOOK-KEEPER and ACCOUNT-Good shorthand writer; thoroughly understands Shipping and Insurance. Ad dress "H. B. B.," Office of this paper. Hongkong, January 18, 1868.

Hongkong, December 17, 1867.

By order,

A7ANTED by a YOUNG MAN, a situation as Clerk or Book-keeper. nominal salary would be accepted, immediate employment being a greater object. Highest references can be given. Address "R.," China Mail Office. Hongkong, December 27, 1867.

NOTICE. DENTS and Accounts COLLECTED witl IN punctuality and despatch.

Distraint WARRANTS for Rent IS-SUED and EXECUTED. Security, if required.

THOS. W. BARRINGTON, 53, Hymdham Street. Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NCTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. HE DIVIDEND declared for the Year able on and after MONDAY, the 17th inst., this announcement. at the Offices of the Corporation. Wardley House, Queen's Road, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants. By order of the Court of Directors.

VICTOR KRESSER. Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 14, 1868.

HUNGKONG & S ANGHAI BANKIN CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. HE Fee on the Transfer of Shares in the Corporation will henceforth be One Dollar for each Certificate issued, instead of Twenty-five Cents upon each individual Share

> VICTOR KRESSER Chief Manager.

Hongkong, March 11, 1808. ONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION. OTICE is hereby given that the REGIS-TERS of SHARES of the Corporawill be CLOSED from the 1st to the 15th day of February next (both days includduring which period no transfer of Shares can be registered. VICTOR KRESSER,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 21, 1868.

SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATION ${f COMPANY}$

NOTICE. TOLDERS of Certificates of Shares in the Shanghai Steam Navigation Company are requested to send them to the agents of the Company, to be replaced by Receipts representing the amount of the old shares and the stock dividend added, pending the issue of New Share Certificates. ROWLEY MILLER,

Secretary & Auditor. Shanghai, 24th February, 1868.

Hongkong Lightering and

Storage Co. I IIE above Company is now prepared to L ND or SHIP Cargo in first class Lighters, and to take the entire discharge of Ships by Contract. Also to STORE moderate Rates.

J. S. HCOK, SON & Co., Managers, Hongkong, December 17, 1867.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY. ATOTICE is hereby given that an Agency

of this Company has been opened in Macao, under the care of Messrs Margesson & Co., and that Captain Carroll has been appointed Surveyor for the Company at that Port. By order of the Court of Directors,

JOHN S. MACKINTOSH Secretary. Shanghai, September 28, 1867.

T the request of the Undersigned, Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., have taken temporary charge of the following Insurance Companies :-Phoenix Assurance Company

Liverpool and London and Globe Insurmce Company London and Provincial Marine Insurance

Universal Marine Insurance Companyd SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.,

Hongkong, July 2, 1867. SAILORS' HOME, WEST POINT.

The Hon. J. WHITTAIL, Esq. R. N. Esq. WARREN DELANO, Jr. Esq. - Divectors

H. B. Ginn, Eng. + W. Anamson, Esq. WILDBMAR NISSEN, R. BRAND, Esq. GEO. MAGLEAN ESQ. PAUARJEE FRAMEE, Rev. J. J. IRWIN. A. Heard, Esq. Ivor Murkay, Esq.

Committee of Management. The Hon. J. WHITTALL, Esq., Chairman. THOS. SUTHERLAND, H.C. THOMSETT, Esq. \mathbf{R}, \mathbf{N}

JONATIONS of Books, Periodicals, News-Dapers, Clothes, &c., will be most thankfully received. Captain A. Overbury, assumes the duties of Superintendent from this date, to whom

or to the committee any information required in connection with the "Home" should be applied for. Hougkong, September 21, 1866.

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SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL. HONGKONG.

TRUSTEES-The Colonial Secretary, The Honourable W. Keswick, Esq., GEO. HEARD, Esq., The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N Company, (ex oflicio), W. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., Resident Sur-

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Wines or Articles not in the recognised Dietary Table. All orders for Admission to Hospital must be countersigned by some responsible Person or Persons resident in the Colony. Patients are also admitted on Deposits at the following rates, renewable one day

cines and Attendances, but exclusive of

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W. PATERSON

Treasurer.

Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

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NEW PROCESS. L'LOYD & Co. have much pleasure in stating that they are now prepared to ending 31st December last, at the rate supply their Patrons with a first class Card of Twelve per cent. per annum, say \$7.50 | PORTRAIT that is permanent, unsurpassper paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per | ed for quality and price by any Photogra-Share on which \$25 have been paid, is pay- pher in China. An inspection will confirm

Terms, Ş5 per dozen. FLOYD & Co. Hongkong, April 13, 1868.

PORTRAITS TAR. J. THOMSON is prepared to take PORTRAITS, VIEWS and other PHOTOGRAPHS. -- Rooms, Commercial Bank Buildings, Queen's Road. Hongkong, March 11, 1868.

FORMOSA COAL DEPOT AT KILUNG TAS on hand a large Stock of COAL of hest quality, and is prepared to supply Steamers and Sailing Vessels with quick despatch at Current Rates, or deliver the same under Contract, at Hongkong and any Treaty Port in China.

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Kelung, April 2, 1868.

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Hongkong, February 1, 1867.

NOTICE. HE Steamers "PRINCE ALBERT and "SIR JAMSETJEE JEEJEE-BHOY" are withdrawn from the Canton River as Night Boats until further notice. Hongkong, November 15, 1867.

BOWRA & Co., AUCTIONBERS. SHIP CHANDLERS, SAIL-MAKELS, WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS, AND GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS. QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG. Water Boats in constant readiness to supply

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Hongkong, November 4, 1867.

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Mr. JOHN CLARK,

ARCHITECT AND CIVIL ENGINEER. Member, Institute of Civil Engineers, London; and Fellow, Royal Institute of British Architects. Offices-3, Alexandra Terrace. Hongkong, March 23, 1868.

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GREAT SACRIFICES!!!

GOODS at Invoice prices, consisting of-Black Cloth Dress FROCK and Walking Melton and Angola Walking, Shooting and SAC COATS. Melton and Witney YACHT JACKETS

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Hongkong, February 5, 1868. FOR SALE. JUNTZ' Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. and MAILS. Apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

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Insurances.

1st.—That in future, the rates for short periods be calculated as follows: Not exceeding one } $\frac{1}{4}$ of the annual rate. month, Above one month and not exceeding } 1 ,, Above three months i

and not exceeding } 3 Above six months. The full 2nd.—That Petroleum and its Products should be stored by themselves in build ings constructed in conformity with the following regulations:

"The Building to be of Ground Floor "only, constructed of Brick or Stone, "with Tile, Slate or Metal roof, sucl "roof to have appertures for the pur-"pose of ventilation, the whole of "such building, to be sunk at least "two feet below the surface of the "road or street, or in the event "the floor not being sunk, then, any "openings in the walls of said build-"ing to be built up to the height of "at least three feet above the level of "the road or street, in order to pre-"vent the petroleum, &c. flowing

"out of the building in case of fire." 3rd, -That Saltpetre and Nitrates should he stored in like manner in buildings of substantial structure (without internal wood work) appropriated exclusively to such articles. 4th.—That the rate for the foregoing articles be not less than (2-%) two per

cent. per annum. 5th.—That Gunpowder should be stored in some fitting place either on shore

policy covering ordinary godowns, de- on the usual terms. claring that Petroleum and its products, Saltpetre, Nitrates and Gunpowder, are not deposited therein. 7th.—That the foregoing regulations regarding the storage of goods do come into operation on and after the 6th Superior CHAMPAGNE, H. PIPER &

July next. 8th.—That no Insurances on Chinese Houses shall in future be taken at a lower rate than (2½ %) two and a half per cent, per annum. Hongkong, April 6, 1868.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company, and General Managers Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. Gibb, Livingston & Co., Agents China Fire Insurance Company, Imperial Fire Insurance Company, Phænix Assurance Company, Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance

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HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

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months, Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company

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Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866. THE QUEEN INSURANCE.

COMPANY. Capital, -Two Million Sterling. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above named Company or in the Bay, under proper regulations | are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, and at sufficient distance from all other; either at this Port, or at Macao, Canton or Whampon, to the extent of £15,000, in any 6th.—That a clause be inserted in every one Risk upon Buildings or Merchandize,

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, June 8, 1867.

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QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

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Hongkong, April 8, 1868. THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION. THE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: per cent. One month, Three months. Six months. .

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 7, 1868. NOTICE. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE

COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding I month, \(\frac{1}{4}\) per cent. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1 do Above 3 months and not exceeding 6...... do. . the full annual rate. bove 6 months.... HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

CAPITAL ONE MILLION STERLING. 'HE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs Holliday, Wise & Co. as agents for the Company at Hongkong, Shanghae, Canton Hankow, and Fulichau, who are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates and of whom all needful information may be ob- | viz :-

By Order of the Board. JAS B. NORTHCOTT, Secretary, IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. TROM and after this date the followin Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding 1 month, & of the annual rat

Above 1 month and not exceeding $3, \dots b$ Above 3 months and not exceeding 6.... # Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company Hongkong, AApril 7, 1868.

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Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, March 6, 1868. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

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CAPITAL, £2,000,000. (LIFE DEPARTMENT,)

£2 per Cent. per Annum Bonus declared during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two Years' standing. The utmost liberality gractised in th settlement of all Claims, with the representatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding

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No forfeiture of Policy from unintentional mis-statement. Premiums payable Half-yearly or An nually at the option of the Assured. Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2, 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a permament resident in Europe :-

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40	5 8 0	5 14 1				
45	5 17 11	6 4 6				
50	6 11 7	6 18 3				
55	7 11 1	8 0 4				
60	8 16 0	9 8 7				

N.B. Intermediate ages charged proportionably. For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances. and for any further information, apply to: ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, September 3, 1864. LIFE ASSURANCE. "HE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue Lare Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board. ROB, S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company.

Houghong, January 6, 1865 NOTICE. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged: future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding One) 1 per cent Month. Chove One Month and not exceeding Three Months. Above Three Months and not exceeding Six Months, The full Annual Rate Above Six Months. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Sccretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and EF-FECTS, therein contained. In cases of DWELLING-Houses removed

from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. per Aunum as hitherto charged; and in cases of Residences, so cituated, be- SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSURing detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for Fire In-BURANCE on the various classes of Buildings nual Rates will be charged for Fire and their contents will therefore remain as named Companies are prepared to grant follows, until further notice, viz. Detached and semi-detached.

Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents, ½ per cent. Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their

per cent. Contents. First Class China House and t} per cent. their Contents. Other Risks as per special arrangement.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, November 9, 1866,

Insurances.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

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* At Whampoa.

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Cheng-tsing	Chinese	gun-boat	3		Bessard
Flamer	British	naval hospital	_	•••••	Attached to Melville
Forfait	French	steamer	6	ļ	Le Saule ied De la Cour
Manila	British	gun-boat	-	ļ.,	Johnson, Lieut. Comr.
Manmee	U. States	steamer	_	800	Cushing, Licut. Comr.
Melvilte	British	naval hospital	_		R. Bernard, D.M.I.G. &c.
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	14		Commodore Oliver Jones
Starling	British	gun-boat	3	230	Dent,
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Dragon	Do.			P. & O. S. N. Co
Fame, (110 h.power)	Do.	117	Stephenson	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Fire Dart	\mathbf{D}_{0}	380	Carroll	H., C. and M. Steam-boat C.pan
Kin Shan	Do.	456	Haskell	H., C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Kiu Kiang	Do.	617	Benning	H., C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Lintin	Do.	69.		Acheong
Little Orphan	\mathbf{D}_{0}	- 46	Benning	Union Dock Company Tug.
Poyang	Do.	379	Laid up	H., C. and M. Steam-boat C.pa
Prince Albert	Do.			Q. Acheong
Sir J. Jeejeebhoy	D_0 .	101	Godsill	Q. Acheong
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